

# CHISHOLM NEWSLETTER

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# March 2025

#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Council: Mar. 11. & 25, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m.

Finance: Wed. Mar. 19, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m.; and

Wed. Apr. 16, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m.

Rec. Committee: Meets first Wednesday of the

month @ 7:00 p.m.

Meetings are now opened to the public or via Zoom (as noted below).

Agenda, Minutes and the Zoom link can be found on the website, www.chisholm.ca, under "Your Government / Meetings Agendas".

Zoom Meeting ID: 836 5238 6073

Passcode: 123456



#### **RECYCLING DATES** March 6 & 20, 2025

Please have your blue box at the curb by 7:00 a.m.

LANDFILL HOURS: As of Nov. 6/24 (fall/winter)

Wednesdays: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Saturdays: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

# LANDFILL SITE HOURS (spring/summer) \*\* AS OF MARCH 12, 2025\*\*

Wednesdays: 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

# CHAT WITH CHISHOLM!

Welcome to Chat With Chisholm, your opportunity to contribute your opinions on certain projects. Council wants to hear from you! Go to chatwith chisholm.ca.

At this time, there are 4 active projects: Official Plan Review, Strategic Plan and Operational Plan, Annual Budget and Recreation.

To participate, register with a few short questions. The answers to these questions are not made public. Think about your user name; it will be what appears when you comment in open forums.

Click the register button on link below to get started. If you have any questions, please call the municipal office.

https://chatwith.chisholm.ca

#### RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Recreation Committee is looking for new members and volunteers. If you are interested, please contact the office at 705-724-3526 or e-mail us at <u>admin@chisholm.ca</u> with your name and contact information.

Please note that you do not need to be a committee member in order to volunteer.

# FAMILY & FRIENDS SKATING. **BBQ & CAMP FIRE**



The Recreation Committee would like to invite everyone to drop by for FREE hot dogs, hot chocolate, roasted marshmallows and to show off your skating skills on the Township of Chisholm outdoor rink!

You don't skate?! No worries – drop by anyways and enjoy the BBQ and bonfire!

Date:

Saturday, March 15, 2025 \*\* Rain Date\*\* Sunday, March 16, 2025 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Bell Cairn Rd.

Time: Location:

(Old school site behind the playground and tennis courts.)

The fire department will be there as well with their trucks so come and check them out! Please remember:

- The rink is unsupervised and children should be supervised; and
- Helmets are strongly recommended.

## REC. COMMITTEE - SUNDAY DROP IN CARD GAMES ARE BACK!

Card games will take place in the Council Chambers every other Sunday from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The games are currently scheduled as listed below (subject to change):

- March 9 & 23
- April 6 (Note: only one game for the month of April due to Easter Weekend)
  - May 4 (last game)

Come out and enjoy the company while playing a hand or two! Put in your toonie per game and you could win the jackpot!

# 2025 SPRING LOAD RESTRICTIONS BY-LAW 2019-16

Township enforces reduced restrictions on trucks to protect the Township's roadways during spring thaw, when road damage is most likely to occur.

Please watch for the signage and the township Facebook page, indicating when the reduced load limits are in effect, depending on the road and weather conditions.

# Change your clocks. Check your smoke alarms. Sunday 10 MARCH 2024 Spring forward safely: This is a good time to test your smoke alarms and change replaceable batteries, if needed.



Approximately 65% of all carbon monoxide deaths and injuries in Ontario occur in the home.

Keep your family safe from carbon monoxide.

- Install carbon monoxide alarms in your home.
- Test them **every month**.

# SCAM ALERT!! Presented by the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre

Hosted by: The Lake Nosbonsing OPP Detachment Board

Residents of Bonfield, Chisholm & East Ferris are invited to attend a **FREE** anti-fraud information session keeping you and your assets safe.

Date: Time: Thursday, March 20, 2025

NAME:

6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Location:

East Ferris Community Centre

1267 Village Rd.,

Astorville

The Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre (CAFC) will educate participants on top scams, tools used by scammers and what to do if you fall victim to a scam as well as:

- About the CAFC;
- Solicitation Methods; and
- How to report a scam.

## 2025 INTERIM TAX BILLS

The 2025 Interim Tax Bills have been mailed out with installment dates of March 31 and May 30, 2025.

If you have not received your Tax Bill, please contact the office at 705-724-3526 or email info@chisholm.ca.

Payment can be made by cash, cheque, online, or debit (not credit). If you pay online, your roll number would be your "account number" (most financial institutes require the full 19 digits, with no spaces, decimals etc.)

**REMINDER** - If your taxes are paid by your bank, the Tax Bills are mailed <u>directly</u> to them, but if you would like to receive a copy of the Tax Bill(s), please call or email the office at the above email/phone number.

#### 2025 DOG TAGS

According to By-law 2010-06, all dog owners must purchase a dog tag for each dog they possess on or before March 31st. Dog License fees are as follows:

		After March 31st \$30.00	
1 dog	\$10.00		
2 dogs	\$25.00	\$45.00	
3 dogs	\$50.00	\$70.00	

The 2025 tags are available for purchase at the office or you can complete the attached form and mail it in along with payment made payable to the Township of Chisholm.

<u>Please Note:</u> Maximum three (3) dogs per household as per by-law 2010-06.

# Scrap Metal Removal Unwanted Metal Items, Broken, Outdated



**Greg Teal** 705-845-7309

I buy any scrap metal, any size!

# **FUN FACTS!**

#### Bet you didn't know.....

ADDRESS

- It is impossible for most people to lick their elbow.
- A crocodile can not stick its tongue out.
- A shrimp's heart is in its head.
- It is physcially impossible for pigs to look up into the sky.

## **CHISHOLM DOG TAGS 2025**

PHONE:			
	1 dog \$10.00 * <u>after</u> March 31, \$30.00*	2 dogs \$25.00 * <u>after</u> March 31, \$45.00*	3 dogs \$50.00 *after March 31, \$70.00*
Breed			
Colour			
Age			
Sex			
Dog's Name			
Tag #			